#### LABOR SHOULD OWN TOOLS OF INDUSTRY.

Rev. Lyman Abbott Outlines Principles of "Industrial Democracy" to Workingmen.



on government by the people.

There may be a good deal of scoffing at Congress, but Congress represents fairly well the thoughts of the people.

"In these days industrial democracy Let a tax be levied on incomes from in-does not control. We elect President on industries. and Governor, not ratiroad kings. We

and Governor, not railroad kings. We elect councils, but not the men who control them.

"Now, President, Governor and Mayer can be turned out of office if they offend, but is there any way of ousting the railroad king and the mine owner? In plain words our political system is controlled by the common people, our industrial system by a few. The first is a democracy, the second an oligarchy.
"How can industrial democracy be carried out? How was the present state brought about? In early times the capitalist owned labor in his slaves. Later, came Feudalism; then the capitalist ewned the land and slaves became tenants, attaches of the land. "Now, there are no longer slaves. Instead, there is capitalism, or the wages system. Capitalism owns labor; how? By controlling all the tools by which labor is performed.

"Any man's ability to work depends on the will of the tool owner. Where is the reform? Why, the men who do the work must own the tools. Formerly the stage driver had interest in stage and horses, the farmer in his farm. What interest has the engineer in eagine, road and rolling stock; the mill operative in shill machinery?

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ers of capital, not capital the employ-er of laborers. In England farmers

ing away, even begging to give away, frunchises worth hundreds of millens to raifroads and corporations. I say tax the franchises. Actual decisions of courts hold that roads belong to the people. Lot them pay the people. The basis of ownership is industry. "When Robert Fulton had exclusive right to run steamers on the Hudson the Supreme Court ruled that to the people alone belonged rivers, free and clear. Air, sunlight, rivers, are the people's. Why then, I want to ask, does not the soil belong to the people as well? Let a tax be ievited on troomes frees to.

Own All Monopolies.

## LABOR NEWS.

another new union has been organised and its existence protested against. It is the Ladder and Scarfold Builders' Union, and the union which asks that they be not recognized is the New York City Carpenters' Union. The new organization made application for admittance to the C. F. It has predential were refused on the U., but credentials were refused on the

Knights of Labor. When the union is completed it will be attached to D. A 19 and under the auspices of that assembly a meeting will be held on March 17, at 229 East Forty-seventh street, at which many prominent speakers will be present.

#### LIVES WELL

Since Adopting Pure Food, The Architectural Ironworkers' Union, which for a long time was refused admittance to the C. F. U. because it was charged that they were a branch of the slastersw' trade, has at last had its credentials recognized by the central body and the two delegates they sent have been pledged in the Building Trades section.

A lady 75 years old, Mrs. J. W. Stevens, of Cincinnati, Ia, says: "For a long while coffee affected my nerves seriously and kept the awake at night, injuring my digestion. My husband was also ill with indigestion and stomach troubles. We concluded that coffee was the cause of the trans-

According to the International Association of Machinists the strikers of the Common Mirphilians parts in the firm to fight. The contract of the Common Mirphilians parts are always dispersed by the Channer Mirphilians parts in Frille delphia, have more than the firm to fight. The years not them, and that at every opportunity they are locked up, and when they are always dispersed by the officers.

Andrew J. Lusk, Master Workman of the Empire Labor Club, of the Drivers and Hostiers of the Empire Labor Club, of the Drivers of the Empire Labor Club, of the Drivers of the Empire Labor Cl

#### JOHN SWINTON ON THE LIVING FORCES.

They Will Yet Rule the Roost, and Also Whip the Devil Round the Stump-The Past and the Present.

At various times in the par. I have given quotations from letters sent here by anti-unionists and non-unionists. "Give me a show," said one of these parties, "and don't be one-sided." Now, it is true that there are two sides to a great many things, but as to the advantagus that have been gained for vantagus that have been gained for the great French revolution the French vantagus that have been gained for the great French revolution the French vantagus that the condition of all wages workers before they began to organize. Look at their hours of labor, their daily pay, their ways of life, their personal get-up, and their treatment by their masters. There is only one side to the fact that they are better off than they were in the days of old, when they were held to be but underlings. If any anti-unionist doubts this let him sak his aged grandfather, or let him read any heasest beak on the subject, such as Thaceal Regards "Work and Wages," or let him they say other means learn what was what. It is contained that they are open for my contained that the brains of some of their rights that a bestinning has been indeed in gaining-dam. Even they leave respecting labos, or let him by any other means learn what was what. It is the subject such as the left right hat a bestinning for some of their rights that a bestinning has been indeed in gaining-dam. Even the play-bear of the main the subject, such as the left right hat a begin in the life workship in the left right hat a begin in the life workship in the left right with the past if the play in the play of the program of their right hat a begin in the life workship in the play of the program

SIR CHARLES HALL DEAD.

LONDON, March 5.—Str Charles Hall died this morning. He was fifty-eight

The Right Hon. Sir Charles Hall, K. C. M. G., was Recorder of the City of Lendon and at his death a Member of Parliament from the Holbern Division of Finsbury. He represented Westeam-bordgeshire in Parliament from 188 to 1892, and was at one time Atterney-General to the Prince of Wales. He was first delagate for Great Britain at the International Maritime Conference held at Washington in 1889.

## B. Altman & Co.

Sale of Men's Underwear SATURDAY, MARCH 10TH. IMPORTED BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS,

68C. EACH.

# Splendid

Results

were obtained from our shoe ad. in Wednesday's papers. Our Shoe Department in each store was busy : this was only natural considering the extraordinary value offered.

Our entire line of Men's \$5.00 fine Shoes, all this season's shapes, in Russia calf, patent leather, box calf, enamel and wax shapes, in Russia call, patent leather, too call; every pair guaranteed worth \$5.00; now reduced \$3.45

Also a special lot of Men's Shoes, consisting the Russia Calf and Enamel, all sizes and all widths, for-

(The above Shoes are our own regular stock and not bought for "the occasion.")

SALE AT ALL FOUR STORES TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW.

FOUR 5279 Broadway, near Chambers St. 47 Cortlandt St., bet. Church & Greenwich Sts. STORES: 211 S. xth Avenue, near 14th St. 125th Street, corner 3d Ave.

(OPEN LATE SATURDAY EVENING.)



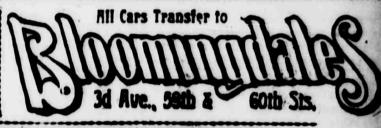
Pocket Knives, pearl handles, two, thand four blades, value 50c, at 39c. Star Safety Razors, regulariprice else \$2.00; our price \$1.19.

Men's 50c. Neckwear at 24 Tecks, Four-in-hands and Imper Choice silks and satins in beautif colorings and designs. We snapped up this lot at unprecedented prices. Meant to sell themast 44c., but have made the price 24c. for a lively Saturday's selling.

"The South Africa

# All Cars Transfer to

This Saturday, to-morrow, Greatest Store" will offer Men's and Boys' Clothing, Ladies' and Children's Wear, Shoes for Men, Women and Children, and hosts Cut Prices.



# Special Sale of Capes.

Golf Capes — Special purchase at a low figure enables us to offer you this most fashionable garment in a selection of colors that will suit all fancies; of all-wool Oxford. black, navy; beauti-fully colored plaid back rugs; 28 in. long, with hood; regular \$10.00 value, 5.00

Others at \$7.98, \$10.00, \$15.00 and \$18.00. Worth nearly double.

\$10.00 and \$12.00—Made of selected seal plush, trimmed with fine brown Opossum edging, lined with superior quality silk Rhadames, 27 and 30 inches long. To close out the balance of our winter stock we will offer these 50 capes at about 1/4 their real value, sizes 34 to 46.



#### JamesMeans \$4 Shoe, Saturday's Sale Price. Pair, \$2.00.

A most opportune time to secure good shoes at a special price. This particular brandhas the genuine approval of thousands of wearers. 84 Shoes, made and branded James Means, sold here to-morrow at just half

Shapes and weights here to suit every-body. If you want heavy weights for extra hard usage get the Sterling or Shet-land Calf uppers, triple soles calf-lined to

Men's Suspenders, 25c.

and leather ends, with drawer supporters. The webbings were all made up to sell at 50c. a pain; your choice, Male Floor, 60th St. corner

# Groceries, Delicatessen.

Plour, very finest patent, for family use; only 1 to 2 40 customer; 24½ lb. bag, 27

Spiced Anchovies, best from Norway; our former price 37c.; for Satur-29 day, per keg.

Applitit Sild, our reg-15 ular 19c. cans, 22 lb., 25 lb., 25 lb., 25 lb., 25 lb., 25 lb., 25 lb., 26 lb., 26 lb., 27 lb., 26 lb., 27 lb., 26 lb., 27 lb., 26 lb., 27 lb., tees, 9 lb. bags, 22 Mackerel, extra fine our Pates de Fele Gras, 39 in terrines, any customer; 10 lb. 99 poked Planes Hed- 7 Our 40c. 1-10 gallon 32 Smoked Fat Bleaters, 2 California Prunes, choice and meaty, 5-lb, pack- 6 ages, per lb., per fish,
Biomarck Horring, formerly 35c., this sale, 24

California Prunes, large, 8

2-lb., packages, per lb.,
our 32c. 27 Asparagus, our 32c. 27 Our 22c. French extra 18 fine Peas, can, 18 Fresh Baked Perk and 9 kind; per can, 2 lersey solid pack, 11c. 8 kind, big cans, 2 lersey solid pack, 11c. 8 kind, big cans, 2 lersey solid pack, 11c. 8 le

sifted Peas, our 15c. 13

# wear, trimmed and made on lines that guarantee you satisfaction in both wear and looks. Men's Spring Suits.

These suits are of a weight suitable for immediate use, in a variety of the newest patterns, every garment being strictly all wool, made with wide French facings and trimmed in the best possible manner. We make a special mention in this lot of a strictly all-wool blue and black serge cheviot that is guaranteed 6.95

Men's Fine Suits.

We do not believe you can duplicate these suits anywhere short of \$12.00 to \$14.00 a suit. They are made of fine velour cassimeres, high grade cheviots and soft finished black Thibets, each garment perfectly tallored correct in style and trimmed as only high grade garments usually are. Stout and extra large men 8.95 fitted at the same price,

If you want a dressy, up-to-date garment this will fill your want; made of popular gray Oxford and Cambridge Coatings; silk tined throughout and silk faced to the edge with pure dye silk; properly balanced and cut to the newest and awellest lines; a garment that no tailor would make for 11.95 Boys' and Children's Reliable Clothing at Special Prices.

Saffor Suits for the little fellows from 3 to 8 years, in fast color, strictly all-wool blue cheviot, made with deep jackets, made of fine quality strictly all-wool cheviots and cassimeres; also plain blue cheviots, of pure indigo 2 92 dye, warranted fast color, usual price \$4; our price, 2.92 sailor collar; trimmed with four rows of soutache 1.95 braid usual \$3.00 value, our price,

Boys' Tan Top-Coats, the popular garment for boys of all ages, shown in all this spring's shades of covert cloth; also the new herringbone; well made, trimmed and 2.95

also the new herringbone; well made, trimmed and 2.95 Boys' Tan Top-Coats, the popular garment for boys of

Silk Lined Top Coats.

A Strictly All-Wool Wear-Resisting Suit, 8 to 15 years, made with double-breasted jacket, patent waistband and good trimmings; in fact, made to give good service; a cheap suit at \$3 as a standard suit; we have placed 1.95 the price at

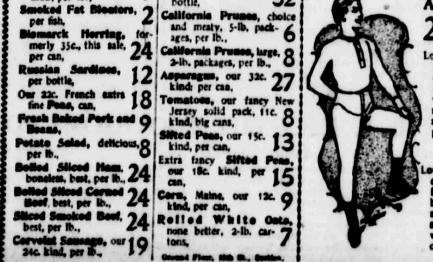
#### \$2.00 Fur Felt Derby Sale of Girls' Dresses. and Call uppers, triple soles calf-lined to tost. If for tender feet ask for vici kid, black or brown, double soles, plain or toe cape also heavy winter russets or box-calf leather, double or triple soles, sizes and widths complete; to be had at our Men's shee Dept. to-morrow, 2.00 We are offering in our Misses' and Children's Suit Department extraordinary values in Dresses, in fancy Spring mixtures, ginghams and percales. Clirie' School Dresses, in fancy checks, yoke cape on shoulder, belt and cuffs of cashmere of contrasting colors, trimmed with braid of different mixtures, well made and lined throughout, 4 to 14 98 years,



To-morrow we hold an introductory sale of this new line of Men's Derbys and Alpines for spring. Every hat is carefully constructed, trimmed with fine quality silk band and binding; imported leather sweat band.

All the newest spring blocks, in black and colors. To protect the hat from the dust and wear, when not in use, we have arranged with the manufacturer to have each hat packed in a SOLID LEATHERETTE MAT BOX, strap and nickel buckle attached, which holds the hat securely. Heretofore we ran short of these goods, the demand being larger than we anticipated. We have double the quantity this time and believe we can fill all orders. A fine \$2.00 hat, packed in a handsome LEATHERETTE HAT BOX, which can be used for derbys, alpines or silk hats. Our special price, Main Flor, out & Section.

# French Office Off. finest, our 75c. 1-5 gallon 59 Men's Underwear Sale. At Half Regular Prices.



25c. and 39c. Lot 1—Consists of spring weight natural wool gray merino Shirts and Drawers, all strictly first quality; made and trimmed as well as any \$1.00 garment; in all sizes shirts and drawers; actual value 75c; sale 39

50c. Kind 25c. Lot 2—Consists of heavyweight cotton balbriggan Shirts and Denwers. The Shirts are ribbed at the bottom; the Drawers are all gusseted and have extra suspender tape at the waist; none worth less than 50c; choice 25

cale and Lawn, fancy colorings, light and dark, fitted backs, pointed yokes, with ruffle falling over sleeves,

full belted in front; deep flounce skirts; all are nicely regular price \$1.00, 59

terns; tucked yoke with blouse front, caps on shoulder and cuffs of cashmere, trimmed with braid; jacket effect front, trimmed with steel buttons, 4 to 14 1.79 years,

Girls' Dresses, in wool mixtures, yoke cape on shoulder and belt of taffets silk, trimmed with hiss folds of material; a variety of pretty combinations; 4 to 14 years, second Picco, the state of the second process of the

# Wrappers Waists.



tucked and hemstitched; all new 5.49 colors. Shirt Waists of French flannek pretty plaids and dots: French backs, new cuffs, tucked, pear! buttons on fronts; 4.39

Shirt Walsts of Black Brilliantine; French backs tucked fronts: all 1.98 trimmed, sizes 34 to 46 Fine Quality, tucked front and back: Accordion Effect; all 2.98

#### Specials in Men's Early Spring Clothing. New Tailor-Made Suits. The following items represent sterling values in choice and properly made clothing for immediate Special for Saturday.



All-wool Albert cloth, in light cheviot: the jackets are Eaton

or ty fronts, like illustration, handsomely tailored and stitched, and lined with the quality colored silk; the skirt has the new shape, box-plated back, opercaline lined and velvet bound; special introductory price,

box jacket, like cut, lined with fine quality satin, newest cut skirt, with double Watteaut plaited back; extra sizes have inverted plait back, finest percaline lining and velvet binding; the entire suit handsomely tailored; sizes 32 to 46; an unusual offering for

### Barber Shaving Outfits Complete To-Morrow.



our Barber's outfit. The outsit will pay for itself the first week. To-morrow the complete original Barber Shaving 95 Outfit at Outfit at

Cabo Best Shaving Scop.

Bettle Say Rum or Witch Shoul.

Bettle of Brilliantiae or Quaken.

Cabo of Magnetia.

Stick of Superflac Councils.

Main Ploct, Sich & Scotte.

# Eyeglasses & Spectacles

We have secured outright the entre stock of one of the largest and most noted Manufacturers of Eyeglasses and Spectacles, and at a rate that enables us to sell them at a mere fraction of the prices originally intended for their sale.

Lot 1—Nickel Eyeglasses and Spectacles, regular optician 25

Lot 2—Aluminico Eyeglasses and Spectacles, which moisture does not injure, always look bright and new, exclusive opticians' price \$1.25; our sale price, 48 per pair,

Lot 3—Nickel Silver Eyeglasses and Spectacles, highly tempered, neat, interchangeable rims, always look 58 bright, exclusive opticians' price \$1.50; our sale price Lot 4-The Celebrated Goldine and Silverine Rimmed Eyeglasses and Speciacles, impossible to tarnish or break, made of solid metal all the way through, were a bargain when we first introduced them at \$2.00 per 68 pairs our sale price,

in Goldine or Silverine frames, which moisture will not bejure always look bright and clean. Pebbles always sold at
such high prices that their sale has been limited. These
roods are sold to-day by exclusive opticians at
\$4.00 and \$5.00 per pair, our sale price, per pair,

Free. By bringing this coupon with you each put of Eyerlasses or Speciacles will receive a Ch Eyerlasse Cleaner, Silk Guard, Hook and Case free of d

Shirt Waists of taffeta silk,

Lot 5—Solid Gold Spring Hyoglasses and Solid Gold Nose Spectacles, exclusive opticians' price \$3.00, 75